

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-39 are cancelled, leaving claims 40-49 pending in the application. In response to the Examiner's request for election of a species, Applicant hereby elects to prosecute the species designated as Species II by the Examiner. Pending claims 40-49 are indicated by the Examiner to be consonant with Applicants election of Species II, and Applicant therefore requests substantive examination of pending claims 40-49.

Respectfully submitted,

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